

Tuberculosis: *Past, Present & Future*

Satellite Conference

Friday, April 16, 2004; 2:00-4:00 p.m., Central Time

3:00-5:00 p.m., Eastern Time

1:00-3:00 p.m., Mountain Time

12:00-2:00 p.m., Pacific Time

Tuberculosis has been with us a very long time and is still very much with us now. We need to keep striving to eliminate TB and support efforts of local and national awareness through events like "World TB Day". Today TB is still a killer if not treated properly and is the number one killer of women of child bearing age in the world. We need to remember to "Think TB". The sooner a person is identified with TB and appropriate treatment is started, the less chance of other people being infected with TB. We need to stay vigilant and continue to seek effective solutions.

Faculty

University of South Alabama
University of Alabama at Birmingham
The Centers of Disease Control and Prevention

OBJECTIVES:

1. Explain the influence of Tuberculosis on European society and its influence on literature, performing arts, paintings and folklore such as vampires.
2. Outline updated treatment guidelines and methods of TB control.
3. Explain future trends in TB control such as a vaccine and new testing methods.

CONFERENCE DETAILS:

Target Audience: Physicians, Nurses, Infection Control Staff, Infectious Disease Health Care Staff, Home Health Workers, Respiratory Health Staff and Health Care Students.

Registration: www.adph.org/alphtn

Cost: No cost to view.

Satellite Coordinates: C & Ku Band.

Conference Materials: Posted on our website approximately one week before the program.

CEU's: Nurses (pending).

Questions: alphtn@adph.state.al.us or 334-206-5618

UPCOMING PROGRAMS:

Implementing Self-Management Education: Successes and Challenges in Arthritis

Tuesday, April 20, 2004
12:00-3:30 p.m., Central Time

Obesity in Adolescents and Adults

Wednesday, April 21, 2004
2:00-4:00 p.m., Central Time

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ISSUES OR QUESTIONS YOU WANT ADDRESSED DURING THIS CONFERENCE?

Email (alphtn@adph.state.al.us) or fax (334-206-5640) the conference faculty. They will respond during the program.